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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed March 13, 2006

in the application noted above, enclosed please find the following:

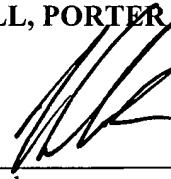
1. Declaration And Power Of Attorney For Utility Or Design Patent Application Using An Application Data Sheet; and
2. Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371.

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Respectfully submitted,

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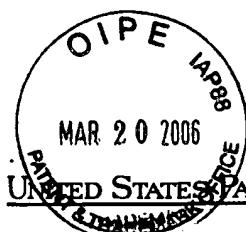


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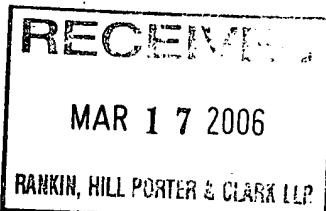
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/04/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 05/04/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/04/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 05/04/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/04/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/04/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/04/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/04/2005
- Specification filed on 05/04/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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